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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for non-provisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 42P15934

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Title Modular Device Assemblies

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

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1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 13]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
- Cross References to Related Applications
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
- Reference to sequence listing, a table,
or a computer program listing appendix
- Background of the Invention
- Brief Summary of the Invention
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
- Detailed Description
- Claim(s)
- Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawings(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 5]
5. Oath or Declaration (signed) [Total Pages 4]
a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR
1.63(a)(2) and 1.335)
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or
Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
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9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment ☐ Application Amended to Reflect Claim of Priority
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i).
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18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2003

Effective 01/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1001	750	2001	375	Utility filing fee	750.00
1002	300	2002	165	Design filing fee	
1003	500	2003	260	Plant filing fee	
1004	750	2004	375	Resouse filing fee	
1005	180	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)					750.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims		Extra Claims		Fee from below		Fee Paid
15	20	0	X	18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims	3	0	X	84.00	=	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent						

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1002	18	2002	9	Claims in excess of 20	0.00
1001	84	2001	42	Independent claims in excess of 3	
1003	280	2003	140	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	84	2004	42	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1005	18	2005	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	
SUBTOTAL (2)					0.00

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description	Fee Paid
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)		
1001	130	2001	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1002	90	2002	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
2003	130	2003	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,620	1812	2,620	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	900	1804	900	* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840	1805	1,840	* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	65	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	900	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1404	320	2404	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	
1503	630	2503	315	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	2460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Sheet	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	750	1809	375	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	750	1810	375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	750	2001	375	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

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